

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Haes, Robert
Serial No. : 10/595,863
Filed : March 8, 2007
Title : FILTER ELEMENT MOUNTING APPARATUS
Examiner : Gonzalez, Madeline Art Unit: 1797

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington DC 20231

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated December 12, 2007,
please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Claims begin on page 2; and

Remarks begin on page 5.